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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

APPLICANTS: Novosel et al. ATTY. DOCKET NO.: RRE-P-00-000613/03  
 SERIAL NO.: 09/592,461 GROUP ART UNIT: 2654  
 FILING DATE: June 9, 2000 EXAMINER: T. Smits  
 INVENTION: "SOUND RECORDING AND REPRODUCTION SYSTEM FOR MODEL  
 TRAIN USING INTEGRATED DIGITAL COMMAND CONTROL"

Asst. Commissioner for Patents  
 Washington, D.C. 20231

SIR:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 CFR §1.56, Applicants request that citation and examination of the references identified on the attached supplemental PTO-1449 form, copies of which are enclosed herewith, be made during the course of examination of the above-mentioned application for U.S. patent. A check for \$180.00 is enclosed. If any additional fees are due and owing in view of this communication, please charge Deposit Account No. 50-0595. A duplicate of this sheet is included for this purpose.

I. SUBMITTED REFERENCES

A. Other Art

Marklin Price List, April 1987, pgs. 1, 4, 5  
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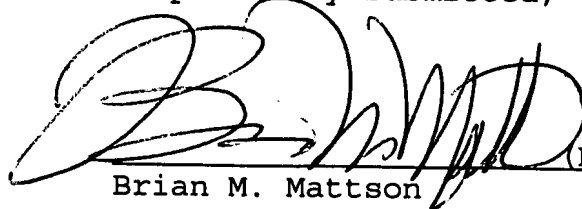
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Marklin Catalog excerpts, 1996/97 E, pgs. 62, 384, 385, 418, 435, 437, 439, 447, 451, inside back cover

## II. REMARKS

Copies of the above references together with supplemental form PTO-1449 are submitted herewith.

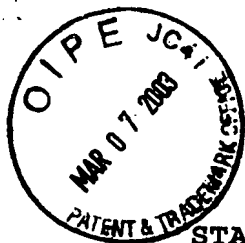
In view of the foregoing, Applicants submit that all of the claims in the application are patentably distinguishable over the teachings of the above references, taken singly or in combination. Early consideration of the application is, therefore, requested.

Respectfully submitted,



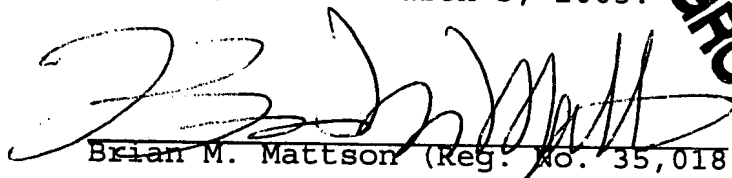
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